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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES FOR PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY OFFICES.

For Commonwealth's Attorney—A. D. Watkins.
For Treasurer—W. H. Ewing.
For Commissioner of Revenue R. J. Carter.
For Sheriff—T. H. Dickinson.
For House of Delegates—J. J. Owen.

TREE TO PARTY.

We differ with Mr. Southall who said that a man could be a good Democrat and yet dole out any Democratic duty. Taking part in Democratic primaries is an important part of Democratic duty, and the Democrat who fails in this falls short of his full duty unless he has some good reason for the failure.

The fact that he did not care to make choice between friends is no excuse at all. Choice had to be made by others, for without choice there would have been no primary, and without the primary we would have no candidates, and without duly appointed candidates there would be no party organization, and we would be in a blue fix in Virginia and the South generally if we had no Democratic organization. As the law now stands the primary is the first step by Virginia Democrats in the process of securing representative government and we all admit that the first step is a necessary step, an absolutely essential step.

We want to remain on record as favoring the primary and the viva voce method of enforcing it, but if one man has a right to dodge this initial party obligation then all men have the same right and chaos would ensue.

The Democrat who dodged the recent primary obligation ought not to try and defend his act but should courageously confess his error and urge others against a repetition of it.

THE INDEPENDENT.

And is the independent candidate to take root in Prince Edward soil too? Up to a certain point every eligible American has the unquestioned right of running for office, but when that point has been passed as a good citizen no one of them can afford to.

"Order is heaven's first law" and neither men nor angels can afford to ignore it. Party organization is necessary to the very life of the republic, and law and order are essential to party existence.

A Christian has no right to resist the laws of his church, a citizen no right to ignore the laws of his country, nor has a party man any right to defy the laws of his party. Democracy is too essential to the peace and prosperity of the South to be trifled with.

Think again, brother, and you will be willing to wait with the hope of winning next time, and not hope to ride in on the wave of real or fancied disaffection. It would be sheer madness on the part of seamen in a storm and in mid-ocean to ignore well established rules for the governing of the ship as that Southern Democrats should waste strength in fighting each other when there is such a deadly common foe to fight.

If the head of the independent is to be heard here let's all abiding citizens unite in dealing on it determined, and, as we trust, deadly blows.

RICHMOND'S HORSE SHOW.

Our capital city has just gone through with the inspiring and thrilling scenes incident to another horse show week. We contributed one to the good natured, well dressed, well demeaned crowd, and observed at least one man's share of the pleasures growing out of the happy occasion.

The horses were well bred, well groomed and admirably well managed when under whip and spur, and this made a scene well worth the seeing, but the most impressive thing after all was the crowd itself. On Friday evening, when the exhibition reached its climax, the lower animals were insignificant in comparison with the six thousand (or did the crowd number 10,000?) higher order of beings gathered in that splendid amphitheatre, also well bred, well groomed and constituting the beauty and chivalry of Virginia with impressive contingents from sister States.

The queenly matron was there, the blushing debutante, the heroine of social whirls, the acknowledged statesman, the aspiring politician, the man from behind the counter, the trust-fund magnate, the trust-ridden brother man, matrons and maidens, the venerable couple, the newly married pair, judges, lawyers, preacher, layman, groom and groom, and what a splendid spectacle the happy and harmonious combination made.

And then the joy of shaking hands with old and tried friends? And are we not justified in saying that this after all is the bright particular spot in the galaxy of bright things? No matter what the drawing card, this bringing of Virginians together at least once a year in Virginia's capital city must not be interrupted. But that this shall be comfortably continued Richmond must hurry up with her hotel projects. As now provided the city cannot begin to accommodate such a crowd as should gather there in October of each year.

None of us came away hungry this time but numbers were no doubt kept away by reason of statements in the papers early in the week of the show that hotels and homes had already been taxed to their full capacity.

The horses were excellent and showy, but we are going to take the liberty of saying we have some in Farmville just as good, while in the pony class we easily lead.

LAY SERMON.

Why do men pray? Some men because God commands it, Christians because "Prayer is the Christian's vital breath, his native air, his watchword at the gate of death, he enters Heaven with prayer," and others because they realize their helplessness and cry for strength and shielding. What should we pray for? Consult the Bible and we will learn that we are authorized to pray specifically for all conceivable blessings.

One of the first prayers of which mention is made in the Word of God was that of a servant who had been sent to a far off country to find a suitable wife for his young master, and when approaching the neighborhood from which the bride was to be had, he simply fell on his knees and asked God to send the proper maiden and to give him answer of the fact. There was scarcely a national want conceivable that Solomon did not incorporate in his prayer at the dedication of the temple. One of the old worthies prayed for rain, another that the sun should stand still, another for restoration of the dead to life and yet another for victory over enemies.

Jacob prayed that his brother might meet him in peace, David that his child might get well, Moses that God would let him die or see his people blessed.

Noah entered the ark praying, Abram went into an unknown country praying, Daniel went into the furnace praying and Enoch went to heaven praying. James prayed for the sick, Peter in prison and Christ for his enemies.

The Saviour taught his disciples how to pray, and in that model prayer God's glory is prominent while man's good is subordinate. God's kingdom first, daily bread afterwards. What encouragement is given for prayer?

This, "ask and ye shall receive, seek and ye shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you." And these words follow: "For every one that asketh receiveth, he that seeketh findeth and to him that knocketh it shall be opened."

And are all prayers, even those of Christians, answered? David prayed earnestly for his sick child and yet the child died.

Paul prayed earnestly that the thorn in the flesh might be removed and the Saviour agonizingly prayed if it be possible let the cup pass from me, but neither Paul nor the Saviour of Paul got relief.

What, then, of unanswered prayers? The Christian example is solution to the whole matter. "Thy will, Father, not mine." The Father delights to hear the son always, and the same is true of all his believing people. They have the right to ask, and when the direct answer doesn't come they should know that infinite wisdom knows what is best. All men pray sometimes, all men should pray without ceasing.

A clean president with a soiled political family is rather an anomaly, but such a Richmond clerical is true, which says a Richmond clerical is true.

Mr. H. H. Hest is making desperate effort to get his presidential boom to rise, and so Professor Langley with his air ship, but both are doomed to disappointment.

A preacher in one of the Richmond pulpits on last Sunday, pronounced Mr. Roosevelt the "cleanest politician in the land," but forgot to add that affairs at Washington have been reeking with corruption of late. Preachers had better let politics alone and preach the gospel to politicians.

Grooms and gowns, horses and hats have been in evidence of late.

Hampden-Sidney Graduate. A dispatch from Washington to the New York American states that in making their report on the Post Office scandals, Attorneys Charles J. Bonaparte and Holmes Conrad have called the attention of President Roosevelt to what they believe to be gross injustice toward the discoverer of the wrongdoing in the department.

It appears from the report that Thomas Walker Gilmer, Jr., discovered and unearthed the fact that more than \$200,000 of "grat" was going into the pockets of interested officials; and more than thirty persons have already been indicted. And it further appears that instead of being rewarded for this service by a promotion, Gilmer was reduced in salary from \$1,800 to \$1,000, and was thus officially discredited in the eyes of his co-laborers for having "made himself obnoxious."

Postmaster General should be made Minister to Turkey. That atmosphere suits those who reward thievery by promotion and punish honesty and efficiency by reduction in rank, dismissal or death.

To the friends of Hampden-Sidney it will be interesting to know that Gilmer was a first honor graduate of this institution in the '70s. The atmosphere of the "Hill" seems to be an active agent in promoting efficiency and a conscientious devotion to duty.

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The New Game Law.

We give below some of the essential features of the important game law passed by our legislature last spring:

It shall be unlawful to hunt, kill or capture in any manner, or buy, offer for sale, or have in possession any wild turkeys, pheasants, quail or woodcock between February 1st and November 1st.

It shall be unlawful to hunt wild deer between January 1st and October 1st.

It is unlawful to hunt any game protected by laws later than half an hour after sun set and earlier than half an hour before sun rise. The penalty for violating any of the above provisions is a fine of not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$50.00 or imprisonment for more than 30 days or both in discretion of the justice.

It shall be unlawful for any person not a resident of this State to hunt or kill wild water fowl, wild turkeys, pheasants, quail or other game birds, or deer within this State, until he shall have first secured a hunting license as hereinafter provided; provided, however, that the non-resident child of a resident owner of land in this State shall be allowed to hunt on the lands of his parent as though he were a resident of this State, and the non-resident guest of a resident landowner shall be allowed to hunt on the lands of his host as though he were a resident of this State, when accompanied by said host, or a member of his host's family; provided said host receive no compensation directly or indirectly from said guest.

Upon the personal application of any non-resident to the clerk of the Circuit Court of any county in which he first begins to hunt, such clerk shall, upon the payment of ten dollars issue to such non-resident a hunting license, entitling him to hunt and kill wild water fowl, deer, wild turkeys, pheasants, quail, grouse, woodcock, partridges, quail, and other game birds during the open season in the six months next following and subject to any restriction now existing or which may hereafter be imposed upon residents of this State.

It shall be unlawful, except as hereinafter provided, to ship or transport, or to cause to be shipped or transported, from this State, whether alive or dead, water fowl, deer, wild turkeys, pheasants, quail, grouse, woodcock, partridges, quail or other game birds, or deer or venison, killed or captured within this State, nor shall the same be killed, captured or possessed with intent to ship or transport from this State.

Any person authorized to hunt under the laws of this State may, during the open season, take with him out of the State, either in his personal possession or as his baggage, not exceeding thirty wild water fowl, fifty quail or partridges, ten pheasants or grouse, three wild turkeys, one deer, or plovers, snipe, sand pipers, willets, tatters or curlew, not exceeding twenty-five of each or not exceeding one hundred in the aggregate, when lawfully killed or captured by himself, provided the same be plainly labelled or tagged with the name and address of such person, and any citizen of this State may, during the open season, ship or have transported from this State, as a gift and not for market or sale, so stating on the shipping tag, one deer during the season, and not exceeding three wild turkeys, six pheasants, twelve wild water fowl, eighteen partridges or quail; provided that such game shall be shipped exposed to public view and unenclosed, and each parcel or package shall be plainly labelled or tagged with the name and address of the donor and of the donee, and the number of each of such game so shipped. This section shall not apply to sora or rabbits or hares.

It shall be deemed a violation of this section for any person to deliver any

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(Virginia, in prohibiting the exportation of game, makes the violator of the law in this State also amenable to the United States law, under what is known as the Lacey act; also the person who receives the game in any other States, as well as the common carrier, each are liable to a fine of not exceeding \$200.)

Any person or corporation violating any provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and be liable to a fine of fifty dollars for each offense, or imprisoned in jail for not exceeding sixty days.

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